

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Gotz-Ekkehard Sapper et al.

Group Art Unit: 1796

Serial No.: 10/512,035

Examiner: Vickey Marie Nerangis

Filed: October 20, 2004

Confirmation No.: 2224

For: AQUEOUS PIGMENT PASTES
CONTAINING MICA PIGMENTS AND
THE USE THEREOF FOR
PRODUCING AQUEOUS,
DECORATIVE-EFFECT COATINGS

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is
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Response, addressed to Mail Stop AF,
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on Monday,
August 24, 2009.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This is in response to the outstanding Final Office Action of June 24, 2009, wherein pending claims 1-11, 15, 16 and 19 were finally rejected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 06-1130 any fees necessary for entry of this amendment and/or extension of time.

Please make the following amendments to the Application as set forth below.